

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2020

Economics 110 (EKN 110)

Faculty Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences Module credits 10.00 Programmes BAdmin Public Management and International Relations BCom BCom Accounting Sciences BCom Agribusiness Management BCom Business Management BCom Econometrics BCom Economics BCom Financial Sciences BCom Financial Sciences BCom Informatics Information Systems BCom Investment Management BCom Law BCom Marketing Management BCom Statistics BCom Statistics and Data Science BCom Statistics and Data Science BCom Supply Chain Management BEd Senior Phase and Further Education and Training Teaching BIT Information Systems BSc Construction Management BSc Quantity Surveying BSc Real Estate BTRP BA BPOISci International Studies BPOISci Political Studies	Qualification	Undergraduate
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	BSocSci Philosophy, Politics and Economics
	BConSci Clothing Retail Management
	BConSci Food Retail Management
	BConSci Hospitality Management
	BSc Actuarial and Financial Mathematics
	BSc Applied Mathematics
	BSc Extended programme - Mathematical Sciences
	BSc Mathematical Statistics
	BSc Mathematics
	BScAgric Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness Management
Service modules	Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology
	Faculty of Education
	Faculty of Humanities
	Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 discussion class per week, 2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Economics
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Module content

This module deals with the core principles of economics. A distinction between macroeconomics and microeconomics is made. A discussion of the market system and circular flow of goods, services and money is followed by a section dealing with microeconomic principles, including demand and supply analysis, consumer behaviour and utility maximisation, production and the costs thereof, and the different market models and firm behaviour. Labour market institutions and issues, wage determination, as well as income inequality and poverty are also addressed. A section of money, banking, interest rates and monetary policy concludes the course.

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